

WHAT I CLAIM IS:

1. A carrier for substantially flat items, the carrier having a first engagement means to removably receive one or more of the substantially flat items, in use, the carrier optionally being shaped and/or having at least a second engagement means to enable a number of carriers to be engaged one with another, and the carrier having a third engagement means to enable the carrier or a number of carriers to be placed in, or on, a selected one of a plurality of available receiving devices comprising transportation, storage or filing means.
2. Preferably a carrier as claimed in claim 1 wherein the carrier comprises an elongated socket member having one or more webs or bars across the mouth thereof the webs or bars being engageable in use by a recess or recesses in the substantially flat item, or an item associated therewith.
3. A carrier as claimed in claim 1 wherein the substantially flat item comprises a holder for CD's, Zip Drives, DVD's or the like.
4. A carrier as claimed in any one of the preceding claims wherein the second engagement means comprises co-operating apertures and protrusions on the carrier, such that two or more carriers can be removably connected.
5. A carrier as claimed in claim 4 wherein the protrusions are a "snap" or interference fit within the co-operating apertures.
6. A carrier as claimed in any one of the preceding claims wherein the third engagement means comprises one or more ribs or channels on the carrier engageable in use with channels or ribs on a receiving device.
7. A carrier as claimed in claim 7 wherein the ribs have a bulbous end and the channels have a narrow mouth.
8. A carrier as claimed in claim 7 or claim 8 wherein the channels are a "snap" or interference fit over the ribs.

9. A carrier as claimed in claim 7 or claim 8 wherein the third engagement means comprises one or more apertures or protrusions on the carrier engageable with protrusions or apertures on the receiving device.
- 5 10. A system for transporting substantially flat items, the system including at least a carrier according to any one of the preceding claims.
11. A system as claimed in claim 11 wherein the transportation means comprises one or more of a wallet, a container and/or a transportation plate.
- 10 12. A system as claimed in claim 12 wherein the wallet, container or transportation plate is fitted with rails or channels or protrusions or apertures to connect with the third engagement means of the carriers.
13. A system for storing or filing substantially flat items, the system including at least a carrier according to any one of the preceding claims.
14. A system as claimed in claim 14 wherein the system for storing or filing further includes a wallet, container, or mounting plate onto which the carrier can be positioned.
- 15 15. A system as claimed in claim 15 wherein the wallet, container or mounting plate is fitted with rails or channels or protrusions or apertures to connect with the third engagement means of the carriers.
- 20 16. A system as claimed in claim 15 wherein the mounting plate can connect to adapter plates or legs, substantially at right angles to the mounting plate, such that the mounting plate complete with adapter plates or legs can sit or stand on a surface.
17. A system as claimed in claim 17 wherein the adapter plates or legs are provided with hook means, such that the mounting plate complete with adapter plates or legs, can be supported within a typical office filing drawer, being supported on the rails contained therein.
18. A system as claimed in claim 17 wherein the mounting plate is curved.

19. A system as claimed in claim 17 wherein the mounting plate whether flat or curved is provided with end fittings to act as feet.